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Catholic War Veterans of the USA
Father Vincent Capodanno
Memorial Post
To Heal, Serve, Love, Listen

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Father Vincent Robert Capodanno, M.M.

MEETING NOTICE

Our next meeting is scheduled for **Wednesday, March First** at 6:30 PM at our normal meeting place, Our Lady of Mercy Country Home, Tighe Lounge.

DUES

It is that time of year to renew our membership. Dues are still only Thirty dollars. Please think about renewing as soon as possible.

Send dues to:
CWV Post 1974
2400 NE 59th St
Gladstone MO 64118

God of Peace and Justice,
we pray for those caught up
in the current violence in Ukraine.

We implore you for peace.

Holy Spirit, Our Consolation,
comfort all those who fear.

Grant wisdom and discernment
to those in power.

Holy Family, who fled to Egypt,
guard all those who have sought refuge
away from the land they love,
and bring them safely home again.

Mary, Mother of us all,
cast your protecting veil

around all suffering lands and peoples.

Turn all hearts back to your Son,
our only Savior and the Prince of Peace.

Amen.

PRAYER FOR PEACE

Here are two retreats upcoming this summer. Male and Female. All faiths welcome.

WHITE HOUSE JESUIT RETREAT

[St. Louis, MO 63129](http://St.Louis, MO 63129)

1-800-643-1003

reservations@whretreat.org

June 29 thru July 2, 2023

Thursday evening thru Sunday afternoon

What: A retreat for U.S. Military Veterans featuring a series of talks focusing on issues pertaining to Veterans. Each talk will be followed by small group breakout sessions for attendees to share their own experiences related to the topics presented. We will also have worship services and quiet time for personal prayer and reflection. Attendees will each receive private accommodations at White House and all meals are provided.

Why: The retreat will help veterans focus on their military experience and how God was with them and continues to be with them. It digs in to trauma created by PTSD and guilt and shame that can accompany military experience. It does require that participants be able to enter into quiet reflection and be able to listen to the experiences of others.

When: **June 29-July 2, 2022** (Thursday-Sunday). Check in is from 4:30 PM to 6:00 PM on Thursday June 30th and the retreat will conclude on Sunday July 2nd after lunch (around 1:30 PM).

(Opening night dinner will begin promptly at 6pm on June 29th)

Where: **White House Jesuit Retreat-** 7400 Christopher Drive, St. Louis, MO 63129.

Who: This retreat is open to men and women of any denomination who have served in the United States Armed Forces.

Cost: We simply require a \$50 deposit to register. That is the only cost to attendees. We host a variety of fundraising events throughout the year to offset the cost of holding this retreat.

Space is limited!

Call 314-416-6400 to register.



VCI September retreat

Veterans Camping Initiative on Facebook
816-898-9301

veteranscampinginitiative@gmail.com

Veterans, Reserve, Active Duty

COST??

ZERO!!!!

WHEN??

Friday September 9th 1800
thru

Sunday September 11th 1200

WHERE??

The Turnbull Farm
3966 NE Deer Creek Rd
Turney, MO 64493

3 miles south of Wallace State Park

Board member CAPT Donald B. Campbell Jr., CEC, USN (ret.) will give a presentation via Zoom on the life and Cause for Sainthood of Father Capodanno on September 16, 2023, at 10:00 AM following Holy Mass for Fr. Vincent R. Capodanno, MM in St. James Parish, 309 S. Stewart Road, Liberty, MO 64068.

Those who are interested in the Cause and its current status were invited to attend. The presentation was 30-40 minutes with time for questions.

Prayer to Obtain a Favor through the Intercession of Servant of God Father Vincent R. Capodanno, M.M. by Archbishop Timothy P. Broglio

Almighty and merciful God, look with Love on those who plead for your help. Through the intercession of your servant, Father Vincent Capodanno, missionary and Catholic Navy Chaplain, grant the favor I earnestly seek (mention the request). May

Vincent, who died bringing consolation to the Marines he was privileged to serve on the field of battle, intercede in my need as I pray in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Dear Veterans, Military-Veteran & Family
Outreach Ministry, Fr. Vincent Capodanno, MM
Catholic War Veterans Memorial Post 1974, Family
members;

Richard Connor is going on the "Heartland Honor
Flight" April 19, 2023.

Here is what we need to help make this Honor
Flight happier and more successful, and meaningful,
Just like many of us did for Hermann Schmidt.

1. Cards, notes, and letters written to Richard,
1A). date to be collected and BE left in an Large
YELLOW ENVELOPE on the counter behind the
counter downstairs in the office area of ST. James-
by March 20th 2023. The YELLOW envelope will
be left there February 26th.

2. Please, please contact others you know to
participate in this activity. LARRY AND QUINN
CALL ON HERMANN-. Hermann does not have
an EMail.

Thanks all.

ANN MARIE